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Serial No. NEW : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_1509A  
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TAPE-SHAPED MOLDING AND BELT FOR  
BALL CHAIN  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TO REDUCE PTO FILING FEE**  
**(AND TO EFFECT ARTICLE 34 AMENDMENTS)**

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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